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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: S. Dye Group No.: 2681
Application No.: 10/044,834 Examiner: Gary, E.
Filed: January 11, 2002 Confirmation No: 8073
For: A MOBILE VIRTUAL NETWORK OPERATOR AND METHOD OF AND
SYSTEM FOR USING SAME

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed December 29, 2003 in connection with the above-referenced application.

The Applicant believes that no extension of time is required since this response is being filed before the expiration of the specified time period. The Applicant, however, conditionally petitions for a further extension of time to provide for the possibility that such a petition has been inadvertently overlooked and is required. As provided below, charge Deposit Account **04-1105** for any required fee.

Please amend the application as follows: